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The Preliminary Amendment filed on 07/12/2001 could not be entered and used for examination the application because:

1. Applicant Representative's signature was missing.
2. On 06/07/2001, Applicants submitted two versions of the application, one of them had a stamp "AMENDED SHEET", and another did not have the stamp; therefore, it is not clear the Preliminary Amendment made for what version.

Examiner have discussed twice above problems by phone with Kevin R. Spivak, Applicant Representative, and requested Applicants submit another official Amendment in order to exam the application, but there is no response received so far.

Since the above mentioned reply appears to be bona fide, applicant is given a TIME PERIOD of ONE (1) MONTH or THIRTY (30) DAYS from the mailing date of this notice, whichever is longer, within which to supply the omission or correction in order to avoid abandonment. EXTENSIONS OF THIS TIME LIMIT MAY BE GRANTED UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a).


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